WASHINGTON, TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1900.

PRICE ONE CENT.

FIGHTING IN PEKIN

Prince Ching Determined to Crush the Bexers.

BATTLES IN THE STREETS

Three Thousand Rebels Killed Before the City Gates.

THE REGULAR TROOPS LOYAL

Li Hung Chang Reports Desperate Conditions at the Imperial Capita -News to the Effect That Natives Attacked Tientain July 6-Euro peaus Being Bombarded Daily From Forts Held by the Hostiles-Several Attempts to Rush Defences of Allies Repulsed With Loss to Assallants-Unensiness Over the Re luctance of the Powers to Live i Mandate to Japan to Land Troops

LONDON, July 10 .- A despatch from Ber lin says that Lu-Hai-Houan, the Chinese Minister to Germany, has received the following cable from Li Hung Chang, dated Canton, July 9:

"No authentic confirmation has arrived of the Pekin slaughter, but I have reliable information that Prince Ching has organized a determined opposition to the Boxers, fighting them with regular troops, a majority of which remain loyal. Several severe en-counters have been fought, in which the loyal roops were victorious.

"Three thousand rebels have been killed in the streets before the gates of

LONDON, July 9 .- Exactly when Prince Ching's intervention on behalf of the for eigners in Pekin began is not known but couriers from Pekin who arrived at Tientain on July 1 then reported he was doing his utmost to protect the foreigners, but native feeling generally was very strong against them

The couriers also reported the assassination of two unnamed exalted officials who opposed the Boxers.

The reported departure of the Empress Dowager from Pekin rests at present on the authority of the commander of the Austrian warship Zenta.

Nothing of current date has been received from Tientsin. The latest news from there is that the Chinese attacked the city on July 6 from the east with twelve guns, which shelled the European settlement very accurately. The allies made a sortle under cover of the naval guas from the British warship Terrible and repulsed the attack. The fighting does not appear to have involved many casu-

Admiral Bendemann, cabling from Taku

lations. The insistence in certain quarters on the Continent that Japan cannot possibly be give a mandate that will place her in a privileged position, but is simply entitled to co-operate on equal terms with the other nations, is regarded here as holding the seed of future trouble,

The coservative view is voiced by the "Standard," which says it is plain that the States which have made special sacri-fices to extinguish the Chinese conflagra-tion will hardly be content to retire from The prospect is full of embarrassment and perplexity. It is impossible to survey the future without feeling that the present oblems are not the gravest that will bave to be encountered.

The "Daily News" strikes a similar note. It says that while Mr. Brodrick Parliamentary Secretary of the Foreign Office, in his answers to questions in the House of Commons, puts the best face on the relations of the powers in respect to affairs in China, it is no secret that they are as bad as they can be. This will spien in the papers that will be published by the Foreign Office in due course.

Foreign Office in due course. Considerable attention has been attracted to the "Herold." a German to a statement in the "Herold," a German journal, published in St. Petersburg, to the effect that a treaty was concluded in the autumn of 1899 between Russia and Ger-

MOBILIZING RUSSIAN TROOPS.

ODESSA, July 9 -- Each of the southern Russian garrisons is contributing its quota sand troops have been mobilized, and will the immediately transported to Taku by versels of the volunteer fleet. About two hundred officers of various ranks have volunteered for service in the Far East, and about a hundred will be selected to go with the extra troops overland by way of with the extra troops overland by way of Irkutsk, the whole journey to Port Arthur not occupying more than twenty-five days.

B. & O. Week-End Country Ex-Pickets sold Saturdays and Sundays, for return antil Monday following, at reduced rates from vashington to Charlestown, Frederick, Annapolis unction, and intermediate points.

Plantering Laths, \$3.00; Asset Laths

REPORTED SAFE UP TO JULY 3. on Legations Said to Have

Been Repulsed. NEW YORK, July 10-(3:30 a. m.) .- The Herald" publishes the following from Canton, dated July 9:

"An official telegram from Pekin en nounces that the British Legation, wherein are all the foreigners, was intact on July 3. The rebels have been repulsed with a loss of 3,000, and are afraid to reattack."

NINTH REGIMENT AT TAKU. Admiral Remey's Flagship, the

Brooklyn, Also Arrives. CHEFOO, July 7.- The Nin'h United States Infantry, Colonel Liscom commanding, has arrived at Taku from Manila, on the transport Logan. The American war-ship Brooklyn, Admiral Remey's flagship, has also arrived at Taku, and has landed 350 marines.

NUMBER OF FOREIGN TROOPS.

Austrian Naval Officer Estimates

Them at 20,000. VIENNA, July 9.- The commander of the Austrian corvette Zenta, now at Taku, reports that the number of foreign troops thus far landed in China is 20,000. He is of the opinion that this number is suffi-cient for the holding of Tientsin and Taku. He adds that the Empress Downger has

NOT WANTED AT NANKING. Li Hing Heng Goes North With Five

Thousand Troops. BERLIN, July 9 .- The German Consul at Chefco telegraphs today that Gov. Li Hing Heng has withdrawn to the northward with 5,000 men, from Nanking, the Governor of which did not wish him to remain there.

GERMAN FLEET IN CHINA.

dmiral Bendemann to Have Twenty-five Vessels in the East.

BERLIN, July 9.-The third-class cruisers Nymphe and Niobe, and the fourthclass cruiser Sperber, have been ordered to prepare to proceed to China. Five torpedo boats will sail from Kiel for Taku next various classes:

ers and men of the squadron said: cally "Remember you will have to fight a try. cunning foe, provided with modern weap-ons. Avenge the German blood which has flowed, but spare women and children. I shall not rest until China is subdued and all her bloody deeds avenged. You will fight together with troops of various na-tionalities. See that you always maintain good comradeship with them."

MINISTER WU HOPEFUL.

Presents Director Sheng's Despatch

Saying That Legations Are Safe. Minister Wu Ting-fang, the Chinese Minister, happy in the belief that the foreigners at Pekin had not been killed, was at the State Department bright and early yesterday morning with two pieces of news for the Secretary of State. The first was contained in a message from Sheng, the head of the Chinese railway and telegraph systems, dated Shanghai, July 8. It was bulletined by the Department as follows:

"On July 3 two legations in Pekin still preserved. All Ministers safe. Rebellious troops and rioters make attacks and suffer many losses. Imperial Government is protecting, but meets difficulty in doing so. It is feared that food and ammunition are exhausted. "SHENG."

The ladies called on Mr. Wu at the Chinese Legation Sunday. They were led by nese Legation Sunday. They were red by Mrs. L. A. Crandall and included Mrs. Alma Baldwin, a sister of Minister Conger. Mrs. Crandall explained that a number of persons in Washington were willing to contribute to a fund to reward those in-strumental in saving the lives of Ameri-cans now imprisoned in Pekin. The ladies were anxious to know the chances of communicating with the leaders of the Boxers and the Minister told them that he knew of no means by which this could be brought

The Boxers, he said, were poorly armed, comparatively few of them having firearms, and were really a mob organization. He expressed confidence that with the arrival of the Japanese re-enforce-ment the allies would succeed in relieving Pekin. He spoke warmly of Minister Con-ger, whom he knows, and made reference to the hatred of the lower orders of Chinese to foreigners, attributing this feeling to the failure of the foreigners to make friendly advances to the people.

TO MOBILIZE MORE TROOPS.

Secretary Root some time ago had Cenmany in reference to the Chinese question, each nation undertaking not to take any independent step without a previous understanding with the other. This treaty, it is
said, has since been loyally maintained by
the large transports assembled for

These vessels are now at Manlia ready to be loaded with troops without any deliny and are re-enforced by several freight ships for the transportation of baggage, supplies, and field transportation. The freight ship Westminster is now loading with supplies for Taku for the Ninth infantry, and from Taku will go to Nagasaki, where it will be loaded with freight from that the attacks of the Chinese fantry, and from Taku will go to Nagasaki, where it will be loaded with freight from water it will be loaded with freight from the transport Grant, which will stop there with the Sixth Cavalry. The Grant will gation have lessened are likewise comforting, and altogether a more hopeful feeling as to the safety of the foreigners held at Maniia to carry freight for any in the capital prevails in Washington of additional troops from the Philippines are ficial circles.

The Wyfield, Flintshire, and Port Stephens.

What regiments may be selected from the Philippine force will be left to General MacArthur. Army officers, however, have been speculating on the regiments available. Several officers who have returned from the Philippines say that the Fourth and Twenty first Infanty, could had been been speculating. and Twenty-first Infantry could best be spared for this service.

Balloon ascension, Chesapeake Beach, tomorrow. Sound, good, No. 2 Flooring, only \$2 1x12-16 Kiln-dried Boards, only \$1.75 1x12-16, dressed 4 sides, Shelving,

MARINES TO GO TO CHINA

A Force of Five Hundred to Be Despatched August 1.

A Conference Between the Secre-Small, But Menns a Henry Draft on Approves of Japan's Course in Sending Large Bodies of Troops.

Immediately after a conference at the State Department yesterday morning between the Secretaries of State, War, and way, the Navy, and the Attorney General, Secan additional force of 560 marines to proceed from the United States to China by the transport to leave San Francisco August 1.

Secretary of War is endeavoring to arrange for the transfer of more troops from the Philippines to China. The withdrawal try, and if it were not for the exigencies of the Chinese situation the Navy Department could not afford to spare them.

As it is every man of the Marine Corps Monday. At the beginning of September the Philippines, a force more than more admiral Bendemann's fleet in Chinese waters will comprise twenty-five vessels of already landed on Chinese soil or has oralready landed on Chinese roll or has or-Emperor William in addressing the offi- ders which, while not so stating spe.ifically, are meant to take it to that coun-

> received at the Navy Department Sunday. By direction of the President a tellay in beginning the movement of the international allies on Pekin. Admiral

inclined to believe that good policy dic-

large number of troops to China was en-dorsed by the powers there are evidences already of suspicion or envy among some of the nations interested concerning the

formal phase, are being made with particular regard to the sire of the army which Japan will send to China and as to whether it would not be well to have an understanding as to the number of trees. that Japan will be permitted to land on Chinese soll. From what is known of the sentiment of the United States, it is not going too far to say that the Government has no sympathy with any such efforts.

An official of the Japanese Legation de-clared yesterday that Japan was actuated in offering to despatch a large force to China by the single purpose of restoring order, which included the protection of all foreigners. As to the talk about com eral MacArthur make preparations for the pensating the Tokyo Government for this rapid mobilization of at least two regiments in Manila for transportation to was that if compensation depended on a request from Japan compensation would never be attained. He asserted that Japan was entirely unselfish in sending 25,000 men to Taku.

said, has since the "Times" Copenhagen correspondent the Boxers have attacked the Danish mission station at Sin-Yang in the Lian-Tong Peninsula between Mukden and Port Arthur. There were two miles to he loaded with troops without any description and the solution of the contrary is at hand the matter of the contrary is at hand the matter of the contrary is at hand the contrary is at hand

Take a plunge at Chesapeake Beach this evening.

LAST TO LEAVE PEKIN.

Englacer Describes the Hostility Toward Foreigners. SAN FRANCISCO, July 9 .- Horace Herz-

the distinction of being one of the last foreigners to get out of Pekin by rail tefore the Boxers destroyed communication with Fientsin, arrived fore today on the steamer Rio Janeiro. He left Pekin on taries of State, War, and Navy, and May 28, two days before the foreign guards the Attorney General Results in arrived. He spent ten weeks in China making notes of opportunities for investment of foreign capital. He said conisht: While I was in Pekin a woman from one of the foreign embassies was grossly insulted in the streets by a mob. She was the Corps-Kempff's Message Dis- riding in a sedan chair when a lot of ensued—Not Advisable for Allies to
Move on Pekin at Present—America

Think in a sector chair when a lot of
course fellows closed in around her and
subjected her to the most offensive
phrases known to the Chinese language. The foreigners then confined their prom-enades to Legation Street. I west out myself everywhere alone. I was warned nese had a disagreeable way of closing in on a man in the street and barring his

"In walking along the great wall alone the Navy, and the Attorney General, Sec-retary Long sent for Colonel Reid, the acting commander of the Marine Corps, and made movement that I boilted into the street arrangements with him which resulted below, losing my hat and camera. When later in the day in the issue of orders for I made complaint they said it was a joke, or sudditional force of 500 marines to prothe only man in Pekin who seemed to have genuine fear for the safety of European and native Christians. He told me he had had news from the interior. Chinese Although this force is comparatively small, its assignment to Chinese service has a deep significance, particularly in connection with the indication that the finandarin in Pekin who receives envoys from the Boxers and gives them regular information.

of the 500 marines will be a heavy draft on the personnel of the corps in this country, and if it were not for the eximencies few missionaries. There is not one Eu repean shopkeeper in all Pekin. The Hotel de Pelin is managed by three Europeans, one of them a woman. This little foreign in the Philippines and the United S area is mostly British, with a few French, Gerthat could possibly be spared has been ordered to Taku for shore service. Not between 60,000 and 80,000 Chinese Catholics shake hands with the crowd. counting any troops that may be taken from in Pekin. They are the people who are in danger from the Boxers than foreignern.

ENTRY OF FOREIGN GUARDS.

Tumultuous Scenes Preceding Their

The conference was held in the office of the Secretary of State and was devoted principally to discussing opinions of Rear Admiral Kempff contained in a telegram preceded the entry of the foreign guards he bowed, "that I thank you most sincereegram had been sent to Admiral Kempfi change of policy by the Empress Dowager at Taku in regard to the reason for the deprevented a massacre. The correspondent Shys:

"On Monday, May 28, the foreign Minternational ailies on Pekin. Admiral Kempff's answer is withheld, the reason given being that it contains opinions and not news.

It is understood, however, that Kempff said that the troops now ashore in China are sufficient to protect Tientsin and guard the line of communication between that city and Fong-ly, the military terminus near Taku. He is reported as expressing the opinion that a much larger force is necessary to justify an advance on the "Tsung-li-Yamen."

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Japanese. These are being manifested in enquiries made by the diplomatic representatives of European countries at the capitals of other powers.

The Company is beautiful in account.

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MISSIONARIES IN DANGER.

States is concerned. Until official information to the contrary is at hand the Government will regard the conditions existing at Fekhm and elsewhere in north China as due to a revoit which the imperial authorities would suppress if they had the ability. The report that Prince China, with a February of the China as the confirmation of the confirmation of the confirmation of the modern of the most manifest and the states of the confirmation of the most manifest had been an educator and not under the direction of the board. He was selected to be means satisfied that the report is true. The state the attacks of the confirmation had been an educator and not under the direction of the board. He was selected to be the foreign as to the states of all honger Empress selected to be forting, and allogether a more hopeful feeling as to the safety of the foreigners in the capital prevails in Washington of Rev. L. J. Whiting with a feeling as to the safety of the foreigners in the capital prevails in Washington of Rev. J. J. Whiting was born. The Collier Caesar Bound for China.

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felder, of Vienna, a civil engineer, who has Bryan's 'Running Mate Given an Ovation on His Arrival.

> rowd Demands a Speech and Gets Short One-Other Leaders Maile Addreuses Full of Confidence as to the Result in November-Senator Jones Predicts a Hard Fight LINCOLN Neb., July 9.-Adlai

Stevenson came in this morning from the Minnesota resort where he had expected to spend the summer. He was given a tremendous ovation at the depot, and was followed to his hotel by a large never to show any resentment at remarks and actions by the natives, but to smile him. Mr. Bryan and his bodyguard of and treat it all as a good joke. The Chidistinguished Democrats, several uniformed clubs, and a brass band, went down to meet Mr. Stevenson. He did not appear with the other pas

sengers and Mr. Bryan and the Reception Committee mounted the steps in search of him. Inside they found him a little rad slace they became nominees. Both wanted to know how the other was, but neither waited for a reply. Mr. Stevenson was brought out on the platform of the car, where he held an impromptu reception. Then he was escorted to the depot platform and some one yelled "three cheers for the next President and Vice President of the United States."

An Ovation to Stevenson, The sergeant-at-arms made a path through the fast augmenting crowd, and down this the nominees and the Reception Committee passed, amid the cheers of the

At the conclusion of the reception the gentlemen started hurriedly up the stairway, but the crowd cut off their escape by cries of "Speech! Speech!" Mr. Stevenson shook his head deprecatingly, but the irrepressible Mr. Martin had him by the arm in a jiffy and led him down the stairway with Mr. Bryan. Mr. Bryan motioned

into Pekin and the narrow escape of the legations from mob violence before the guards were admitted. Only the speedy first speech of the campaign in the prespense of policy by the Empress Dowager States.

Then he thanked them again. A speech from Bryan was demanded. his pleasure at the warmth of the greet-ing to his colleague, and concluded:
"I want him to feel that when he comes to Lincoln and to Nebraska, that he comes

Ex-Governor Stone Hopeful.

Ex-Governor Stone said: "I have absolute confidence that the American people will elect the ticket nomiinclined to believe that good pollcy dietated waiting for further advices in regard to the military requirements of the
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He had an audience with the Empress
Dowager, who was wise enough to see that
it was useless to wage war against the
world. General Tung-Fu-Shiang, whose
troops were either Boxers or in sympathy
with the Boxers, was still unwilling to
back down.

specch as follows:

"You have a supreme duty to perform
in this campaign. In 1896 many thousands,
yea hundreds of thousands, of persons,
most of them Democrats, voted the Republican ticket largely because they thought
no harm could follow their acts and be-"The Empress Dowager ruled the day, no harm could follow their acts and be-

our currency are to be controlled by the syndicated few; but whether we are to but all around the city native converts are being massacred, and nothing is being done to check the outrages."

obliterate the American eagle, tear asun-der the Constitution that has stood a cen-tury and a quarter as a wall of adament tury and a quarter as a wall of adamant around our liberties; whether we shall tear up this precious document along with the Declaration of Independence and throw them into the waste basket; whether we are to have an aristocracy dictating our

The Balloon Has Been Found.

Parachute jump, Chesapeake Beach, tomorrow. Tickets good going on all trains at Wooster, Dr. Gatrell learned after some cabling—that Dr. Whiting was with those besieged in the British Legation.

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Parachute jump, Chesapeake Beach, tomorrow. Tickets good going on all trains Fridays and Stierdays, valid for return until Toesday following. \$5.00 for the round-trip to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, and Sea Business, Sherthand, Typewriting—\$5 a year.

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Parachute jump, Chesapeake Beach, tomorrow. Fridays and Stierdays, valid for return until Toesday following. \$5.00 for the round-trip to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, and Sea Island. Train for Chesapeake Beach, 5 p. m.

the great issues of the day. Imperialism he cor iders the paramount one, and that the campaign would be fought out on that

the said that he had made no plans for the campaign for the reason that his nomi-nation had come suddenly, but he would place himself at the disposal of the Cam-paign Committee. He proposes taking an active part in the campaign, after Sep-tember 1, and expects to fill an itinerary to be prepared for him by the committee,

JONES LEAVES FOR CHICAGO.

Plans for Notifying the Nomineer Still Unsettled. LINCOLN, July 9.—Senator Jones left tenight for Chicago and George Fred

Williams went to South Dakota to fill a Chautauqua date for Towne. Before Senator Jones left it was announced that he had a conference with Mr. Bryan over the time and place of notification. Mr. Bryan preferred to have Mr. Jones settle all the details connected with that and Le will do so later.

Mr. Bryan's desire is that the notification take place at Lincoln, but Mr. Jones wants it to take place at Chicago and he will probably have his way. Jones wants to make it a joint notification with Stevenson for the political effect it will have upon the debatable State of Illinois.

The opening of the campaign in the West will be tomorrow afternoon and even-ing, when a big ratification upon the eve and warm from the exertion of yanking a tight-fitting satchel from the grip of an overhanging wire basket. The candid tes clasped hands cordially for the first time specially invited to attend and speak. Others who will address one meeting or the other will be Charles A. Towne, Ger. J. B. Weaver, Representative Shafroth, and Senator Allen

TO PUSH THE CAMPAIGN. ' Senator Jones Expected to Arrive in

Chicago Tomorrow. CHICAGO, July 9.-Secretary Walsh, of ergued, as the Fusionists could desirthe Democratic National Committee, re- if they were for Bryan as whole-so

ceived notice today that Senator Jones, as they claimed to be, they would Chairman of the committee, will be in to the support of the only anti-Rep Chicago Wednesday. The Senator is ex- party that promised success. pected to announce the names of the new executive committeemen in a day or two. Posionists present took strong grounds The work of organizing for the campaign against the withdrawal of Towne. is to begin at once.

Mr. Walsh thinks J. G. Johnson, of Kan-

eas, Chairman of the old Weys and Means Committee, or Daniel J. Campau, of Michigan, will be the chairman of the Execulive Committee. A committee is looking over the Chicago botels and receiving pro-posals for hendquarters, and will probably be able to report to Mr. Jones when he ar-

Secretary Walsh says the committee has return to their old allegiance, or job already received large contributions to the Mid-Roaders, which would have the campaign fund. The first check handed to the committee was drawn by Mozes G. Wetmore, of St. Louis, the tobacco manu-facturer, who has achieved considerable fame the last few years fighting the Tobacco Trust. It was drawn payable to "The United Democracy," Mr. Wetmore's check is said to have run into five figures.

HOPE TO HAVE HILL SPEAK. The Indiana Democrats Planning for

a Rousing Campaign, INDIANAPOLIS, July 2.—The Indiana Democrats are preparing to play their strongest cards at the opening of the campaign and it was given out today that David B. Will, of New York, would be one of the speakers at the formal opening, which will be late in August or early in

September. John W. Kern, candidate for Governor, said today: "I think that Hill will be here to make the opening speech. I am not authorized to say that he will come, as nothing has been done so far, but before I left Hill told

Preparations for an Aggressive Campaign in New York.

NEW YORK, July 9.—The big Tammany Hall meeting to ratify the nominations of Bryan and Stevenson will be held in the wigwam some night next week, probably Thursday. An effort will be made to bring some Democratic United States Senators here as speakers. Painters were at work Jersey, and other Eastern States, while the says.

Matters connected with the conduct of the campaign were discussed. Among them was whether Mr. Bryan should stay at home or make a few trips. His wish is that he make but few preches and these at long intervals, at only the larger centres. This decision of Mr. Bryan was unanimously approved, but he will be open later to fill a few dates in New York, New Y This Government is heartly in accord with Japan's offer to end the Chinese troubles without calling for any assistance from the United States or the nations of Europe. It believes that the Japanese have no ulterlor purpose in desiring to have no ulterlor purpose in desiring to have no ulterlor purpose in desiring to the exact arrangements made by the Yamen formal phase, are being made with particular regard to the sire of here as speakers. Painters were at work Jersey, and other Eastern States, while on the transparency in front of Tammany is believed he will have a fighting the Hall today finishing up the pictures of the to carry.

because Mr. Croker is in Long Branch.
"In 1896," said this man, "we were business as was forwarded from Washing-beaten in the city of New York, which was beaten in the city of New York, which was then made up of what is now Manhattan and the Bronx, simply because we did not have any money. In all that year we raised but \$16,000. This year, though, we are going to make things hum. The fund is going to be a whopper, and it is going to be spent to carry the State of New York for the Democratic ticket.

"Mr. Croker will come back to town tomorrow. Chairman Frauk Campbell, of the Democratic State Committee, has appointed Mayor James K. McGuire, of Syracuse, notification, and the response of the Presis-

Mayor James K. McGuire, of Syracuse, notification, and the response of the Presi-Chairman of the Executive Committee of dept will be made from the porch. The that body. That means that Mr. McGuire members of the committee will be seated

No Action Taken by the Leaders in Conference at Lincoln.

Further Consideration of the Vice Presidential Matter Postponed Until After the Meeting of the State Fusion Convention - Minnesotan Willing to Make Any Sacrifice.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 9 .- After what was practically an all day conference between members of the Executive Committee of the National Democratic Committee and several Fusionist leaders, it was decided to postpone all action upon the Vice Presidential matter until after the ressions of the Fusion State convention Wednesday. This was done at the urgent solicitation of the Pusionists who desire to learn for themselves the sentiment of the rank and

file of the party. Mr. Towne frankly told the gentlemen present that he was willing to make any sacrifice that the leaders asked of him, that he sincerely desired the success of the cause, and if that sacrifice was to withdraw as a Vce Presidential candidate or to continue as the nominee of the Fusion

ists, he stood ready to make it. Chairman Jones was clearly of the opinion that the Fusionists should be willing to allow Mr. Towne to withdraw. He believed that if he did so it would make it a direct issue between the two great parties. The Kansas City platfor. as broad and progressive a documen .

Governor Poynter and several of the pointed out that in Nebraska this might mean the sacrifice of the State, if not to Bryan, at least the defeat of a part of the the State ticket and the Legislature, which is to elect two United States Senators Many of the Fusionists, were formerly Pe-publicans, and if they thought they were being led into the Democratic fold in this manner, they were likely to revolt and return to their old allegiance, or join the

effect.

He urged that the better plan was to have Mr. Towne remain upon the ticket. He thought it comparatively easy to arrange in each State where fusion exists a division of electors between the parties, and if there was no choice for Vice Presi-dent, and it might possibly be thrown into an adverse house, either Stevenson or Towne could withdraw. So positive were the arguments adduced that it was decided to wait until the sentiments of the Pusion-ists could be more accurately soun

Those who participated in the ence were Bryan, Stevenson, Towne Campau of Michigan, Stone of M George Fred Williams of Massac James J. Johnson of Kansas, Hitchcock W. H. Thompson, Ja Dahlman, State Chairman Hall, "C; Davis of Texas, and Governor Pornier.

After the Fusionists had withdrawn, the

members of the Democratic Committee consulted over campaign matters. After it was over Mr. Jones, who had been designated as the spokesman, said that it was not a formally called meeting of the committee, simply a gathering of friends of Mr. Bryan, who happened to come to

MR. M'KINLEY'S NOTIFICATION

CANTON, Ohio, July 9 .- Aside from such

Fifth Avenue. It read:

"Martin, Pekin."

"While it is a fact that I do occupy the gram of enquiry sent by the board last week to the Rev. George F. Flich, at Shanghai, regarding the whereabouts of the Rev. W. A. P. Martin, is If the mean that when last heard from he was in terpreted to mean that when last heard from he was in Pekin.

The message was a response to a cable-same position perhaps among Democratic vacation today and said he was a Hill man. Comptroller Coler returned from his out, but it is expected that a number of addresses will be made during the day. The said that he had always been a Democratic nearly the said that he had always been a Democratic nearly the said that he had always over the Democratic ticket.

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